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In re Application of:

Ciaran J. Patterson

Examiner: TBA

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Group Art Unit No.: TBA

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For: **INTER-REGULATOR CONTROL  
OF MULTIPLE ELECTRIC POWER  
SOURCES**

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

The references now cited are the following:

U.S. Patent Documents:

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2,894,149	07/07/1959	Dortort
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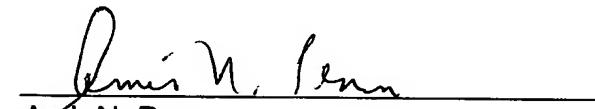
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